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### RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED JUNE 7, 2006

Dear Sir:

This paper is responsive to the Office Action dated June 7, 2006, having a shortened statutory period expiring September 7, 2006. Further examination and reconsideration are respectfully requested in view of the amendments and remarks set forth below.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 11 of this paper.

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